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AID FOR GOLD SEEKERS.

Joseph Ladue in Consultation With the President and Secretary Alger.

GOOD MEN ON HALF RATIONS.

That Will Be the Situation This Winter, According to the Alaska Pioneer—War Department Advices Are More Encouraging—The Government's Reindeer Must Be Utilized in Forwarding Supplies.

WASHINGTON, D. C. (Special).—Joseph Ladue, the Alaska pioneer, who came to Washington to consult with Secretary Alger about methods for the relief of the destitute which he and others who comprehend the situation believe will overtake those who have crowded into the Klondike without adequate supplies, called on President McKinley. He was presented by Secretary Alger. The President discussed the situation with Mr. Ladue, and appeared deeply interested in his suggestions for the relief of the sufferers.

Mr. Ladue estimates that there are about 4000 people in the Klondike, and that there provisions for only about 3000. He thinks it utterly impracticable, owing to the difficulties of attempting to arrange transportation facilities for carrying supplies down the Yukon sufficiently expeditious to insure that when the river freezes the people will be provided with sufficient provisions to last them during the winter.

He believes that all persons who have not sufficient provisions and who can leave the Klondike before the river freezes should do so.

He says that navigation will not close for a month and he advises that a courier be sent immediately across Chilkoot Pass to the Klondike to urge all who can to embark on the last outgoing steamer. This action will probably be adopted. In addition he advises the establishment of stations along Chilkoot Pass with dog teams for conveying relief supplies. Before the White House left Mr. Ladue presented Mrs. McKinley a half-ounce nugget of virgin gold. Secretary Alger also received a souvenir Klondike nugget.

Secretary Alger said after the interview that no steps would be taken looking to relief of the miners in the Klondike until the returns close and the Government learns through Captain Ray, who is at St. Michael, the exact situation. Secretary Alger has received a telegram expressing the opinion that the four steamers now going to the Yukon carry ample provisions for all persons now in Dawson City and if they arrive safely perhaps there will be no necessity for any relief measures. If not, it is possible that Mr. Ladue's suggestion for dog trains across the Chilkoot Pass may be accepted.

Secretary Alger has instructed the Commissioner of Education to have the reindeer now at Teller Station, Alaska, which have been broken to work, forwarded to St. Michael to be held there for use in forwarding supplies to the Klondike country in case of emergency. There are about eighty of the reindeer which, it is believed by the Administration, can be utilized in this way, if the relief prevails that they would be much more useful than dogs, because they travel more rapidly, draw more, and can live on the little forage the country produces. The Secretary says that each reindeer will carry about 300 pounds and will travel a hundred miles a day.

CUBA'S NEW PRESIDENT.

Brigadier-General Mendez Capote Elected Chief Magistrate of the Republic.

News has reached New York of the election of Brigadier-General Mendez Capote to the Presidency of the Republic of Cuba. He is a man of ability, and the Cubans in New York City declare he will carry on the

PRESIDENT CAPOTE, OF CUBA.

war with Spain with redoubled energy. President Capote is a graduate of the University of Havana, and one of the most distinguished lawyers on the island. He is only thirty-four years of age.

MCKINLEY OFF FOR A HOLIDAY.

The President Goes With His Party to North Adams, Mass.

President McKinley left Washington on the Pennsylvania Railroad at 9 o'clock Tuesday night for North Adams, Mass., where he will be the guest for a week or ten days of W. B. Plunkett. He was accompanied by Mrs. McKinley, Attorney-General and Mrs. McKenna, Miss McKenna, Secretary and Mrs. Alger, Miss Mabel McKinley, his niece; George B. Cortelyou, Acting Secretary to the President, and J. Addison Blandford, Private Secretary to the Attorney-General.

Just as the train started the President came to the broad rear platform of the end car and bowed right and left to the crowd inside and outside of the station railing. His appearance was greeted with handclapping.

The train consisted of four coaches. The private car of President Thomson of the Pennsylvania road was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. McKinley. There was no prolonged stop on the way, and the train reached North Adams at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Frost in the Northwest.

Telegrams from various parts of the Northwest say that frost was general throughout Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and the entire Northwest. Slight flurries of snow were reported in Michigan, Indiana and Wisconsin.

Thirty-three Lives Lost in a Collision.

The British steamer Tyria and the Austrian steamer Ika were in collision near Fiume. The Ika was so badly damaged that she sank. Seventeen of her passengers were rescued, but thirty-three were drowned.

Minor Mention.

Cocoa nut farms are operated near Lewiston, Me.

Louise Michel has been expelled from Belgium.

Italy's Minister of Finance, Signor Ascanio Branca, has resigned.

Many Odessa (Russia) business houses have been ruined by the rise of the price of grain.

Cranberries in New Jersey will make a very light yield, in some counties not much more than one-fourth of a crop.

Glass manufacturers of Kokomo, Ind., have begun to draw on the sand banks of the lake shore about St. Joseph, Mich., for white sand at the rate of from five to ten carloads a day.

COUNTING SILVER DOLLARS.

Twenty-one Young Women Kept Busy For Several Weeks.

The count of money in the vaults of the United States Treasury at Washington is still in progress and will not be finished for several weeks. The unusually long time occupied in the count is due to the cautiousness of Treasurer Roberts. In all previous counts the money has been weighed in bags, there being 1000 silver dollars in each bag. Two tests would be applied to these bags, depending on whether the dollars were new or had been used. A bag of 1000 new and unused dollars weighs about fifty-eight pounds and fifteen ounces. A bag of badly used dollars weighs about fifty-eight pounds and nine or ten ounces, a difference of $6 or $7. Counting this way the count did not take so long, but Treasurer Roberts has insisted that in one of the vaults in which old silver dollars are stored each dollar shall be counted. This is now being done, and the tinkle of silver dollars is heard for many feet throughout the Treasury. Twenty-one young women have been assigned to this count. In the vault which held the new silver dollars the count was made in the regular way, and the gold in the vaults will be counted by weight.

BIG LOSS OF LIFE IN ITALY.

Hurricane and Floods Kill 100 and Injure as Many More.

A hurricane swept over Sava, Oria and Latiano, all in the Province of Lecce, Italy. Forty persons were killed, seventy were wounded, twenty houses were destroyed, and telegraphic communication with the scene of the disaster was cut off.

At Oria the railway depot was demolished and all the railway men engaged there were killed. Two churches and thirty houses were destroyed in a neighboring village, where twenty were killed and twenty-four injured.

At Mesagne fifteen were killed and five injured.

A special dispatch from Rome says that two villages near Brindisi have been flooded and that twenty persons have been drowned.

The floods, which were caused by recent heavy rains, wrecked every house in the two villages, injuring many people.

Extensive tracts of country have been devastated.

KILLED BY TIGERS.

A District in South China Panic-Stricken by Their Ravages.

Chinese advices say that much excitement prevails about Foo Chow over the killing of many natives at Kuliang by man-eating tigers, which have carried off and eaten many natives. Hundreds have fled to near-by cities for protection. They refuse to return and attend to their crops, saying that they will leave the country for good rather than fight tigers.

Expert hunters have killed some of the beasts, but more come down from the mountains. They first attacked cattle, and destroyed hundreds of them before many natives were killed.

The foreign settlement at Foo Chow has offered a reward of $50 for every full-grown tiger killed. Traps have been set, and tiger hunts on a great scale are now in progress. Several natives who were caught and torn by tigers and rescued by hunters are now in the Foo Chow hospitals.

1000 HORSES DEAD.

Strange Equine Malady Raging on Eastern Shore of Maryland.

Dr. A. W. Clement, Maryland's State veterinarian, reports an alarming epidemic among horses on the eastern shore, which killed over one thousand.

Dr. Clement said: "The strange disease threatens to become general throughout the State. I made a post-mortem examination of a number of horses which died from the disease, and will make an official report as soon as possible. I cannot as yet give any definite opinion in regard to the disease, but I am almost certain it is caused by horses eating some poisonous vegetable matter."

A TORPEDO-BOAT GOES DOWN.

Duke Frederick William of Mecklenburg-Schwerin One of Those Drowned.

A Hamburg despatch says that Torpedo-boat No. 26 has been capsized and sunk, near the first lightship off Cuxhaven. Eight of her crew, including her commander, Duke Frederick William of Mecklenburg-Schwerin were drowned. The Duke was born in 1874, held the rank of Lieutenant in the German Navy, and was a brother of the Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Schwerin.

The mother of the Duke received the news of his death at Castle Rabensteinfeld, Schwerin. The whole town has been thrown into deep mourning. The church bells were tolled and the performance at the Court Theatre was abandoned.

EARTHQUAKE IN LIMA.

Two Shocks Crack Walls and Destroy Ceilings in Peru's Capital.

There have been two strong earthquake shocks at Lima, the capital of Peru. Great alarm was caused among the inhabitants, the majority of whom rushed out into the streets.

Many ceilings fell and walls were cracked during the subterranean disturbance.

The seismic vibrations moved from west to east. Mollendo, in the south, and Paita, in the north, were not affected, but in the region of the disturbance there were frequent landslides, interrupting traffic on the Croya Railway, while telegraphic communication was interfered with.

Otter Skins Becoming Scarce.

The hunting schooner Rattler has arrived at San Francisco from the Arctic, having secured twenty-six sea-otter skins and 103 fur-seals. Captain Nelson declares that otters are becoming scarce. He got one skin that is entirely white, the first one ever taken, according to the hunters. The conventional color of the sea-otter is black. Skins here and there dappled with silver have always commanded the highest price. This pure white skin, it is expected, will bring from $700 to $1000, the highest price on record.

Arroyo's Murder Premeditated.

Velasquez, ex-Inspector-General of Police, now in prison in the City of Mexico, has confessed that he ordered the killing of Arroyo, the assailant of President Diaz. His servant admits buying the knives with which the deed was committed. Velasquez says that the man was not tortured. The Judge has decided that Velasquez and Cabrera, the detective, are guilty, and he holds them for trial.

England Buying Horses.

A report to the State Department at Washington from the United States Minister at Buenos Ayres says that agents of the British War Office have purchased 1400 horses in Argentina for use by the British Army in Africa. It is believed that these horses are better able to stand the trying African climate than any others.

Troops Fire on Strikers.

A special dispatch from Melzo, twelve miles from Milan, Italy, says that during strike disturbances there the troops were called out and fired upon the strikers, killing one man and wounding eight.

Cycling Notes.

The lamp and bell ordinance is being enforced more rigorously than ever by the New Jersey authorities.

An English doctor reports that he rode 3324 miles on a wheel last year, of which distance 4524 miles were made on professional visits.

Lord Dunraven, who failed to bring home the America's Cup, has developed almost as great an affection for cycling as for yachting.

One of the San Francisco street railways, running through a hilly district, provides racks for bicycles on the front and rear of cars, and charges five cents extra for carrying a wheel. The amount from this service cuts quite a figure in the receipts.

MINERS RETURN TO WORK

Backbone of the Strike at Hazelton and Vicinity Broken.

WOMEN OPPOSE THE TROOPS.

Pushed Back by the Military Until They Dispersed—Five Thousand Miners Go Back to Work and the Rest Expected to Follow—Sheriff Martin and Deputies Arrested—Militia to Be Withdrawn.

HAZLETON, Penn. (Special).—Unless unforeseen developments occur, the anthracite coal strike in this region is ended. Yesterday twelve hundred men, half of the full complement, returned to work at the Honeybrook collieries of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Company, as did three hundred of the thirteen hundred at Parlee's Latimer mines, while the Cranberry, Crystal Ridge and Harwood collieries of the same company and Coxe's collieries, in the Drifton district, remained at work. The latter were to have settled the question of a strike yesterday, but at the request of the operators held off until Thursday. Nearly five thousand strikers have returned or will do so to-morrow, and a little less than that number are still out, with indications in favor of their joining the workers.

The only incidents of yesterday were small outbreaks at Lattimer and Ebley, both of which were quickly quelled, and the serving of warrants of arrest on Sheriff Martin and a number of his deputies. At Lattimer women attempted to drive out three hundred Italians who returned to work. They were armed with clubs and stones and moved on the engine-house and company's stores. The raid looked threatening for a time, and was not ended until three companies of the Thirteenth Regiment, with fixed bayonets, had pressed back and dispersed the crowd.

A number of Butler Valley miners who wanted to return to work at Lattimer were driven back by a body of the strikers, who met them as they came over the mountain, a mile or more from camp. The break of the strike is practically a victory for the operators. In only one or two instances have the demands of the men been granted, although several companies have promised to consider the grievances.

The warrants for the arrest of Sheriff Martin and his deputies were issued yesterday by Judges Lynch and Bennett at Wilkesbarre. They were served here last night, and no resistance was made. The writs contain seventy-eight names, including that of the Sheriff, and his cases are set to deliver all the deputies for a hearing. A company of the Ninth Regiment will escort them to Wilkesbarre. General Gobin permitted the service of the writs because he thinks the civil authorities are now able to handle the situation. The gradual withdrawal of the troops will be considered to-morrow.

Injunction Against Debs Perpetual.

WHEELING, W. Va. (Special).—The feature of interest in the opening of the September term of the United States Court for the District of West Virginia was the application of ex-Governor A. B. Fleming, of Fairmont, to make the injunction against Eugene V. Debs and others perpetual. The Governor was acting for his client, the Monongah Coal Company, and as there was no appearance for any of the defendants the injunction was made perpetual.

Brockton Strikers Win.

BROCKTON, Mass. (Special).—The big strike of shoe lasters is settled, and it is apparently a victory for the strikers.

SWEEPING OPINION AGAINST TRUSTS

The United States Court in Kansas Severely Criticises Trade Combinations.

In a decision handed down in Topeka Kansas, holding that the Kansas City Live Stock Exchange is a trust, organized in violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust law, United States District Judge C. J. Foster made some severe criticisms upon the formation of trusts and combinations to control trade. The exchange is an organization of commission men who control the sale of live stock in Kansas City. All live stock which enters the city must pass through the exchange. Judge Foster issued an injunction restraining it from doing business, because it is an unlawful combination. In the course of the decision the Judge says:

"The crying complaint of to-day and the great menace to the welfare of the people is the tendency of wealth to monopolize and control the industries of the country, and it must be confessed by every thoughtful observer that many of the so-called stock and produce exchanges are among the most potent instrumentalities for the accomplishment of these purposes by speculators and adventurers."

FOUND ON THE MESA'S TOP.

Results of an Expedition Recently Sent Out by the Government.

F. W. Hodge, of the Bureau of Ethnology, Smithsonian Institution, has just returned to Washington from an expedition to the Enchanted Mesa, of New Mexico, which has excited the interest of scientists and the daring of exploring parties. It was brought into prominence a few months ago by the expedition of Professor William Libbey, of Princeton University, who reported no evidences of early occupancy.

Mr. Hodge's explorations have brought good results, however. He ascended by an extension ladder comprising six sections. The Mesa was determined to be 431 feet from the western plain to the top of the highest pinnacle above the cleft, and the talus at the base of the cleft 224 feet above the plain. Mr. Hodge found several potsherds, two stone axes (broken), a fragment of a shell bracelet and a stone arrow point. All vestiges of the ancient trail ascending the talus, and continued thence to the summit by hand and foot holes in the solid rock, have been obliterated; but some traces of the holes remain.

Fast Freight Runs.

The B. and O. S. W. has been making records on quick despatch freight within the past week or two. Two trains, one weighing 732 and the other 731 tons, ran from Cincinnati to Parkersburg, 200 miles in eight hours and three minutes and eight hours and four minutes respectively. The run from St. Louis to Cincinnati, 340 miles was made in 15 hours and 15 minutes. Considering that some of the grades exceeded one per cent. the performance ranks with the best on record and demonstrates that the track and motive power of the B. and O. S. W. must be in good condition.

Sixteen Suicides in One Week in Chicago.

Sixteen persons who had found life in Chicago a failure committed suicide last week. Five of the unfortunates were women. Four of the victims hanged themselves, four took poison, three drowned themselves, two used revolvers, one inhaled gas, and one leaped from a window.

Bears Invade Idado Orchards.

Citizens of Kendrick, Tata County, Idaho, have been obliged to fight large numbers of bears which have invaded their orchards nightly, owing, it is said, to failure of the wild berry crop in the mountains.

Prominent People.

Queen Victoria is interested in the Klondike developments.

Prince Victor Napoleon has just attained the age of thirty-six.

The Rev. Dr. Abel Stevens, the historian of Methodism, died in San Jose, Cal.

General Fitzhugh Lee is being considered for the Presidency of the University of Virginia.

President Faure, while in Russia, gave three French talking dolls to the Czar's little daughter.

The memorial to Archbishop Benson, in Canterbury Cathedral, England, is to take the form of a canopied tomb beneath the northwest tower and close to his grave.

THE NEWS EPITOMIZED.

Washington Items.

The wrecking of the steam whaler Navarch by being caught in an ice pack in the Arctic Ocean, the probable loss of thirty-seven members of her crew and one passenger, and the rescue of the Captain and his wife and six of the crew, have just been reported to the Treasury Department by Captain Tuttle of the revenue steamer Bear, of the Behring Sea patrol fleet.

The Monetary Commission appointed under the authority of the Indianapolis "Sound Money" Convention held its opening session in Washington.

The Secretary of the Interior has made requisitions on the United States Treasury for the following sums to be used in the October payment of pensions: Buffalo, $1,650,000; Chicago, $2,875,000; Concord, N. H., $775,000; Des Moines, Ia., $2,140,000; Pittsburg, $1,750,000. Total, $9,190,000.

President McKinley has commuted the sentence of C. Lee Addington, who was to die on the scaffold in Paris, Texas, on Friday, to life imprisonment. Addington murdered Oscar Hodges in the Choctaw Nation in 1895.

Archibald J. Sampson, of Arizona, has been appointed United States Minister to Ecuador.

Four chiefs of division and twenty clerks in the Post Office Department have been notified to show cause why they should not be reduced in salary and position, to make room for other clerks of greater efficiency.

General Fitzhugh Lee gave the President his opinion of the situation in Cuba, and decided to go back to Havana for the present at McKinley's solicitation.

The President has appointed Silas C. Croft Surveyor of Customs for the Port of New York, and Charles M. Dickinson, of Binghamton, N. Y., Consul-General at Constantinople.

Domestic.

RECORD OF THE LEAGUE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.	Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Balt	87	36	.707	Brooklyn	57	69	.452
Boston	89	37	.706	Pittsb'g	53	69	.448
N'w York	79	45	.637	Chicago	55	70	.440
Cincin'ati	70	54	.565	Phila'l'a	54	72	.429
Clevel'd	65	59	.524	Louisv'le	51	73	.411
Wash'n	57	67	.460	St. Louis	37	93	.223

John R. Gentry and Robert J. Iroke the world's team pacing record in Philadelphia, making a mile in 2.09.

President McKinley and his party were warmly welcomed in the Berkshire Hills of Massachusetts. The President is the guest of an old friend, and made a speech to a big crowd at the Hoosic Valley Fair, North Adams.

Sheriff Martin and his deputies were held for trial by the Court in Wilkesbarre, Penn., for the shooting of strikers at Lattimer.

Further improvement in the yellow fever situation in the South is reported.

The State Committee of the National Democrats, at a meeting in New York, endorsed Alton B. Parker, the candidate of the regular Democracy for Supreme Court Judge.

Joseph M. Hardy and Henry G. Blake were sentenced at Albany, N. Y., to four-teen years and four months' imprisonment for kidnapping little John Conway. Hardy is the boy's uncle. Albert S. Warner, a New York lawyer, is charged with being an accomplice, but has not yet been captured. The object of the kidnappers was money, and the case aroused great interest throughout the State.

The jury at Frankfort, Ky., in the trial of Dr. Hunter and others accused of bribery in attempting to secure Hunter's election to the United States Senate, returned a verdict of not guilty in all the cases.

Mrs. Elizabeth McRoberts, of Buffalo, N. Y., jumped into the Niagara River and was carried over the Falls. She was sixty-five years old, and suffering from ill-health and melancholia.

Hon. George F. Hour, of Worcester, Mass., made the address of welcome at the National Conference of Unitarian and other Christian churches in Saratoga, N. Y.

The widow of Dr. Rizal, the former leader of the partiots in the Philippines, is in Philadelphia, where she has made arrangements for military expeditions to aid the insurgents, and concluded an agreement for mutual assistance with the Cuban Junta. She intends to return to the Philippines to lead the patriots in person. Her husband was executed by the Spaniards.

William Gantz, a pressman, who had often boasted that he would accomplish the feat, jumped from the Brooklyn Bridge and was rescued from the water with apparently but slight injuries.

The first snow storm of the season is reported from Juneau, Alaska, stopping travel over the passes to the Klondike gold fields.

The Republican organization, under Senator Platt's leadership, carried the Republican primaries in New York without opposition, endorsing a solid delegation against Seth Low for Mayor. The Democratic primaries in Brooklyn resulted in the general success of Hugh McLaughlin's organization.

The First National Bank, of Benton Harbor, Mich., has closed its doors, owing depositors $90,000.

The historic frigate Constitution sailed from Portsmouth, N. H., for Boston, where she was launched 100 years ago.

A coal mine near Blocton, Ala., caught fire, and before all the miners could be rescued five were burned to death and three or four were reported missing.

The bones of a mastodom have been unearthed near Waterloo, Ind. One tooth weighs about five pounds. The bones, measured separately, give the standing height about eighteen feet.

United States Commissioner Alexander at New York discharged the eleven Chinamen who were arrested several days ago on the charge of violating the Chinese Exclusion act.

Henry W. Sage, who has given $1,250,000 in cash gifts to Cornell University, died in Ithaca at the age of eighty-three.

Star Pointer defeated Joe Patchen in a race at Indianapolis, Ind., in 2.01, establishing a new pacing race record.

The New York Republican State Committee nominated United States Circuit Judge William J. Wallace for Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals.

The village of Inlaystown, N. J., was almost wiped out by a fire which is supposed to have been started by burglars. The loss was nearly $50,000.

An angry crowd at Dillon, S. C., with drawn pistols prevented the train carrying a circus from leaving that town until money people claimed to have been robbed of was repaid.

The annual meeting of the American Forestry Association was held in Nashville, Tenn.

Forty Persons Drowned.

Forty persons were drowned in the River Volga near Astrakhan, Russia. The steamer Tsarevitch was sunk in a collision with the Malitka. As she was going down her passengers leaped into the water in a panic. Many of them swam ashore.

Lynched at Skaguay.

A young Russian Finn, whose name is unknown, was lynched by five enraged miners on Skaguay trail, bound for the Klondike, on the afternoon of September 3. The crime with which he was charged was stealing. The scene of the hanging was near the foot of the summit, about fifteen miles from salt water.

Roller-Skates For Messenger Boys.

American visitors to London often complain of the dilatory messenger boy service. The boys are now being provided with roller-skates.

The National Game.

Miller, of Minneapolis, catches without a chest-protector.

Both Philadelphia and St. Louis failed to win a game in Washington this year.

Gettman, the new Washington outfielder, is a left-handed batsman and thrower.

Pitcher Getzein, formerly of the Bostons and Detroits, is now a type-sticker in Chicago.

Dalhen, of Chicago, is one of the finest all-round ball players the game has produced.

The magnates will be compelled to pass a stringent and at the same time an intelligible rule regarding a balk this fall. The present rule is violated every day.

ROYAL HEIR WEDS SERVANT.

Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria Marries a Former Housekeeper.

A sensation has been caused by the statement that the Archduke Franz Ferdinand, son of the late Archduke Karl Ludwig and Princess Annunciata, daughter of the late King Ferdinando II., of Naples, and heir presumptive to the throne of Austria-Hungary, was married in London a few days ago to a middle-class lady from Kohlscheidt, near Aix-la-Chapelle.

The Kolnische Volks-Zeitung says the lady's father was formerly a mine manager, that one of her brothers is a clergyman of Essen and that another brother is a tradesman of Aix-la-Chapelle.

The Lokal-Anzeiger adds: "She is a former housekeeper of Herr Krupp, the great iron master of Essen, where she met

FRANZ FERDINAND, ARCHDUKE OF AUSTRIA.

Archduke Franz Ferdinand. The couple have gone to Algiers."

Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria was born at Gratz on December 18, 1863. He is one of the richest men in Europe, as he inherited, while still a child, all the immense wealth of the Este branch of the Hapsburg family. He was only eight years old when his mother died, yet his father then straightway handed him over to the care of the Jesuits, with strict instructions that he should be brought up untainted by this wicked nineteenth century.

FIRE DESTROYS A BLOODY RELIC.

The Much-Used Gallows at Fort Smith Gone.

The old relic of barbarism at Fort Smith, Ark., the gallows in the Federal jailyard, is gone, never to return. It had been the intention of some civilized persons to exhibit the grewsome relic for money, accompanied by George Maledon, the notori-

FAMOUS GALLOWS AT FORT SMITH, ARK.

ous hangman, who has killed legally more persons than any other man in the United States, but good sense and humanity prevailed, and that ugly instrument of death which has given to Fort Smith such a murderous reputation abroad, was burned in public, leaving nothing but ashes and horrid memories which time alone can efface.

The whole number of executions at Fort Smith within the last twenty-five years is somewhere near a hundred, of which about eighty are credited to George Maledon, who never made a failure or a bungling job. Maledon is an old Federal soldier of German nationality. He hanged people as a business and seemed to like it, because there was money in it. The highest number of executions in one day was seven, and he called that a "good day's work."

GREAT BRITAIN AND SILVER.

A Letter on the Subject From a Bank of England Official.

At the semi-annual meeting of the Bank of England, the Governor of that institution, after referring to the proposals of the United States Government on the subject of silver, proceeded to read a letter addressed by himself to the Chancellor of the Exchequer, and wherein the bank expressed its readiness to hold one-fifth of the bullion reserve in silver, as permissable by the bank charter, provided always that the French mints were again open to free coinage of silver, and the prices at which silver was procurable and saleable would prove satisfactory. He concluded by denying that the bank had bought any silver, and declared that all the bank had undertaken to do was under certain condition to carry out what was permissable under the statute of 1844.

GRAND ARMY COMMANDER KILLED.

E. F. Sands, of Jersey City, Meets Death by Jumping From a Trolley Car.

Emanuel F. Sands, of Jersey City, N. J., who in June last was elected Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic in the State of New Jersey, was instantly killed while jumping from a trolley car at Varick and Grand streets.

Mr. Sands had been to Newark to a Grand Army meeting, and was on his way home on a Consolidated Traction car. He told the conductor to let him off at Varick street, but the car did not stop and he jumped. He fell and his head struck the rail, fracturing his skull. He died before an ambulance could be called.

Mr. Sands was sixty-four years old and leaves a family. John Woodward and Irving Buck, the conductor and motorman, of Jersey City, were arrested.

SAW THE BATTLE OF WATERLOO

Remarkable Career of a Man Just Buried in Ellsworth, Ohio.

James R. Greene was buried at Ellsworth, Ohio, a few days ago, with high Masonic honors, he being probably the oldest Mason in the State. He had lived for many years in Ellsworth and was nearly one hundred years old. Mr. Greene was born in 1798 at Bolton, England. When seven years old he went to live with an uncle, James Sherman, who was related to the Sherman family of which John Sherman, Secretary of State, is a member.

He lived with his uncle until he was sixteen years old, when he was pressed into the British service. He had his choice as to which service he preferred, military or naval, and he chose the latter. He was assigned as a midshipman on board the man-of-war Royal George, which in the year following was employed in transporting English soldiers for Wellington's army across the Channel from Southampton to Antwerp. He witnessed the battle of Waterloo. Through the influence of Sir William Summerfield, Governor of the British possessions in India, he obtained his discharge from the English Navy and went to work in a tannery in Southampton.

Mr. Greene came to America in 1821, and led a seafaring life for many years. In 1832 he married Ann Roach, an English woman, then living in Louisville. One son was born to the couple, and when the child was eighteen months old Mrs. Greene took him and went back to England. She never returned, and Mr. Greene never saw them again, although he visited England several times in the hope of finding them.

Discouraged Miners Turn Back.

Advices from Alaska state that many miners bound for the Klondike gold fields have turned back, owing to the prevalence of snow and ice.

Fire Destroys a Georgia Town.

Almost the entire business portion of the town of Arlington, Ga., has been swept by fire. The fire broke out a little before daylight in a restaurant and spread rapidly and by 7 o'clock only seven stores were standing out of about thirty. The total loss will be about $75,000.

Woman Dies Laughing.

Ida Bolley, wife of a farmer, died at La Grange, Ind., while in a fit of laughter. A friend told a story which greatly amused Mrs. Bolley. While she was making merry over it a blood vessel burst and caused her death.

Newsy Gleanings.

Cattle are dying in some Southern Indiana counties for want of sufficient water.

Nearly 1000 barrels of sugar cane have been raised on Tennessee's State farm.

The Department of Agriculture figures an average increase of forty per cent. in prices of farm products as compared with 1896.

A German Army Lieutenant, Baron Max von Schrader, poisoned himself at Ostende after losing $400,000 at the gambling tables there this summer.

There is a perpetual watch kept over the tomb at Albany, N. Y., where lies the body of James B. Jermain, who died six years ago. Relatives fear an attempt may be made to steal the body of the late millionaire.

THE MARKETS

Late Wholesale Prices of Country Produce Quoted in New York.

39	MILK AND CREAM.		
The average price paid for the surplus on the platforms has been ¢ — a can of 40 quarts. Receipts of milk and cream at the different railroad distributing points in and near the city for the week have been as follows:			
Average daily receipts of the week,			
Sold milk, cans			23,288
Condensed milk, cans			168
Cream, cans			731
	BUTTER.		
Creamery—West. extras	¢ —	@	¢ 20
Firsts	18	@	19
Thirds to seconds	13	@	17
State—Thirds to firsts	18	@	19
State Dairy tubs, extras	17	@	18
Western Imitation Creamery	11½	@	14
Factory, fresh, firsts	—	@	12
Thirds to seconds	9	@	11
	CHEESE.		
State—Full cream, new, large	9	@	9½
Small	—	@	9½
Part skims, good to poor	4	@	5½
Full skims	3	@	3½
	EGGS.		
State and Penn—Fresh	18	@	19
Jersey—Fancy	—	@	19
Western—Choice	—	@	17½
Southern—Choice	—	@	—
Duck eggs, ₽ doz	—	@	—
Goose eggs, ₽ doz	—	@	—
	BEANS AND PEAS.		
Beans—Marrow, choice	—	@	1 40
Medium, choice	—	@	1 25
Pea, choice	—	@	1 15
Red kidney, choice	—	@	2 15
White kidney, choice	1 65	@	1 70
Yellow eye	1 50	@	1 60
Lima, Cal., ₽ 60 lbs	—	@	1 55
Green peas, bags	77½	@	80
	FRUITS AND BERRIES—FRESH.		
Apples, ₽ bbl	75	@	3 00
Watermelons, ₽ 100	4 00	@	24 00
Peaches, Md., ₽ carrier	75	@	1 75
Jersey, ₽ basket	20	@	1 00
Pears, Seckle, ₽ bbl	1 00	@	3 00
Bartlett, ₽ bbl	1 00	@	3 50
Plums, ₽ basket	8	@	25
Grapes, Del., ₽ case	50	@	90
Niagara, ₽ case	50	@	65
Cranberries, Cape Cod, ₽ bbl	3 50	@	5 50
	HOPS.		
State—1896, choice, ₽ lb	—	@	8
1896, prime	—	@	7
Pacific Coast, 1896, choice	9½	@	10
Good to prime	7½	@	8½
Old odds	2	@	3
	LIVE POULTRY.		
Fowls, ₽ lb	—	@	12½
Spring chickens, ₽ lb	—	@	11
Roosters, ₽ lb	—	@	7½
Turkeys, ₽ lb	11	@	12
Ducks, ₽ pair	40	@	60
Geese, ₽ pair	90	@	1 25
Pigeons, ₽ pair	10	@	20
	DRESSED POULTRY.		
Turkeys, ₽ lb	10	@	11
Broilers, Phila	10	@	16
Western, dry picked	9½	@	11½
Fowls, State & Penn., ₽ lb	11½	@	12
Long Island ducks	—	@	12
Geese, Eastern, ₽ lb	12	@	14
Squabs, ₽ doz	1 25	@	2 00
	HAY AND STRAW.		
Hay—Prime, ₽ 100 lb	77½	@	80
Clover mixed	50	@	55
Straw—Long rye	40	@	60
Short rye	—	@	—
Oat	—	@	—
	VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes, Jersey, ₽ bbl	2 00	@	2 50
L. I., in bulk	2 50	@	2 75
Sweet, ₽ bbl	1 37	@	2 25
Cabbages, ₽ 100	3 00	@	4 50
Onions, white, ₽ bbl	1 00	@	3 50
Orange Co., red, ₽ bag	1 50	@	2 00
Green peas, W. N. Y., ₽ bag	75	@	1 25
Egg plant, ₽ bbl	75	@	1 00
Tomatoes, ₽ box	50	@	90
String beans, L. I., ₽ bag	80	@	50
Squash, ₽ bbl	60	@	1 00
White	—	@	—
Turnips, Russia, ₽ bbl	50	@	80
Corn, ₽ 100	75	@	1 25
Celery, ₽ doz	5	@	35
Cucumbers, ₽ bbl	1 25	@	2 00
Cucumber pickles, ₽ 1000	1 00	@	3 00
Lima beans, Jersey, ₽ bag	60	@	1 25
Beets, ₽ 100 bunches	—	@	—
Carrots, ₽ 100 bunches	—	@	1 00
Cauliflower, ₽ bbl	1 00	@	2 00
Parsley, ₽ 100 bunches	—	@	1 00
Peppers, Jersey, ₽ bbl	50	@	1 00
	GRAIN, ETC.		
Flour—Winter Patents	5 25	@	5 50
Spring Patents	5 25	@	5 70
Wheat—No. 2 Hard	—	@	97½
No. 2 Red	—	@	98½
Corn—No. 2	—	@	35½
Oats—No. 2 White	—	@	27½
Track mixed	24½	@	26
Rye—Western	—	@	51½
Barley—Feeding	—	@	31½
Lard—City steam	4.85c	@	5.00c
	LIVE STOCK.		
Beeves, city dressed	7	@	8¾
Milch cows, com. to good	20 00	@	45 00
Calves, city dressed	10½	@	12½
Country dressed	7	@

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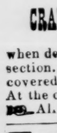

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ADVANCE IN FARM VALUES.

A kindly Providence has vouchsafed to the American farmer this year crops that are unusually gratifying. The unfortunate condition which bears so heavily upon other great grain producing countries is aiding in bringing to him splendid financial returns. The wisdom of the people in restoring the Tariff for protection is enabling him to find a larger and more profitable market for all other farm products and by-products. These things have all been dwelt upon persistently, with a great increase in farm labor which is a natural result—or rather an essential preliminary to a realization of the farmer's golden dream

But there is another important corrollary of the new agricultural conditions wrought by Republican policy, and one which, it seems, has received inadequate attention. Revenue from the farm cannot be increased—if such increase is due chiefly to government policies which are assured for a term of years—without enhancing the ground from which the revenue is derived. This principle is not less true of agriculture than it is of real estate investment in cities.

THE "ADVANCE AGENT."

President McKinley was called by some prophetic follower "the advance agent of prosperity." Between November and March the Free Traders more than once, in an effort to be smart, said that never was an "advance agent" so far ahead of his show. As was pointed out to them at the time, the delay in the coming of the "show" was due to the United States constitution which put so much time between the election of a President and his inauguration. How do those Free Traders like things now? Even the most hide-bound do not deny that prosperity is here; is not in the future, but in the present. The "show" was not far behind the advance agent as he got a chance to get in his work.

THE RAILROAD COMMISSIONER MUDDLE.

Gov. Russell has issued an order suspending from office Railroad Commissioners J. W. Wilson and S. Otho Wilson, and appointed L. C. Caldwell and J. H. Pearson in their places. The two Wilsons refuse to surrender, and, being de facto Commissioners, will exercise the duties of the office until the matter is settled by the Courts. Commissioner D. H. Abbott has notified the Governor that he does not recognize his authority to suspend.

Hon. Wm. L Wilson, author of the "Wilson Tariff bill," has been installed President of Washington and Lee University, and is now shooting young ideas. He will not directly do as much mischief there during the coming four years as he did during the past four, when he was engaged in shooting to death American workshops.

A cotemporary very truly says that before the Democratic party can win again in this State, it must come before the people with an issue. It must show that its policies are better than its opponents, and it must show that the people will be benefited by its return to power. It cannot win on abuse.

A Western editor asks: Will the gentlemen who a year ago were telling us that this country was going to everlasting smash and the people to wretchedness and poverty please tell us how it is that farmers are paying off mortgages right and left and getting good prices for their products, with silver lower than at any time in its history?

If the Democrats, says the Asheville "Register," will only keep up their unjust assaults on Republicans, Populists and Colored people until election, the majority against them will be 50,000 instead of 40,000.

When the rulers of Europe meet one of the standing toasts is, "The Peace of Europe." And then they all return home and begin to plan more warships and cast more and bigger guns to use as "arbitrators"

With Jerry Simpson riding a frock coat and Ben. Tillman riding a tally-ho, there would appear to be no good reason for discrediting the story that a man in Kentucky has invented a water filter.

Rev. Geo. W. Sanderlin, formerly State Auditor, but more recently one of the Auditor's in the Treasury Department at Washington, is in the Shepherd Asylum at Baltimore.

If Spain wants some good, strong fellow to help her to "let go," now is her chance. Call on Uncle Sam.

Ripans Tabules cure indigestion.

PUTTING THE PEOPLE TO WORK

One year ago, under the Democratic Tariff law, our ports were open to goods of foreign manufacture. Our own mills and factories were either closed or running on short time. Hundreds of thousands of men were out of employment. The buying capacity of the people had been wonderfully reduced, and the wants of those who could buy were largely supplied by the products of foreign labor. Democratic "Tariff Reform" plunged the country into misery and idleness. Protection is putting the people to work and making them happy and contented. If nature is helping the Republicans in the grand work of restoring prosperity, then the Republicans and everybody else ought to be supremely happy.

IN BRYAN'S STATE.

They seem to be having a hard time of it out in Bryan's State. Last fall the people were wailing because there wasn't enough money in sight. Now the State Bank of Davenport has closed because it can't secure borrowers for its big surplus of deposits, and can't afford to keep open doors without a market for investment. Most of the banks in the State are said to have lying idle in their vaults about 70 per cent of their deposites.

As for the restoration of a Protective Tariff, this country has not been without one, and hence such a Tariff could not have been restored by the Republican party or any other party. —Democratic paper.

We beg to differ. The Wilson bill was designed as "a Tariff for revenue only," though it resulted rather disastrously for the revenue. It was not a Protective Tariff. It did not protect the American market for a single American industry. A Tariff that does not Protect is not a Protective Tariff. But Protection has been restored by the Republican party.

The Treasury Department has over $145,900,090 of gold in hand, and has had since the McKinley administration came in a larger gold surplus than at any time for a long period of years. This is in marked contrast with the conditions during the Democratic administration, when President Cleveland was compelled to sell bonds every now and then to keep up the reserve.

South Carolina, it is stated, is building up a great trade in phosphates in Japan. She has always had a big surplus of "phosphates" in her politics —and it is all right if she can work some of it off on plucky little Japan.

Comptroller of the Currency James H. Eckels makes the prophecy that the country is now entering upon an era of renewed prosperity in which the East, West, North, and South will alike participate.

The great Northern coal strike is an object lesson of the need of an educational test for immigration. Its violent phases occur where the illiteracy among foreign laborers averages over 40 per cent.

Lieutenant Wm. J. Griffin.

General orders have been issued from the Adjutant-General's office as follows:

It is the sad duty of the commander-in-chief to announce to the State Guard the death of Lieut. William J. Griffin, commanding the Elizabeth City division Naval Reserves, which occurred September 3, 1897.

Lieutenant Griffin entered the service of the State Guard December 6, 1881, as First Lieutenant, Company E, Third Regiment (Pasquotank Rifles,) afterwards transferred to Company I, First Regiment. He served in this position ten years, and was promoted Captain of the Company, January 13, 1891. On May 1, 1893, he was appointed Major and Assistant Inspector-General on the staff of Brigadier-General Cotton, commanding the First Brigade, North Carolina State Guard. Upon the organization of Elizabeth City Division, Naval Reserves, he was unanimously elected Lieutenant, commanding, which position he accepted and resigned as Major and Assistant Inspector-General First Brigade.

Lieutenant Griffin was born in Pasquotank County in 1854, and was a member of one of the oldest and most respected families in the State. He chose the profession of law as his life work, in which he attained a most enviable and honorable standing, and, by his sterling integrity and his keen conception of right won for himself the highest respect and confidence of the members of the profession, his clients and the community at large. As a soldier, he was thorough, conscientious and ambitious to excel, and was highly esteemed by his superiors and subordinates.

As a mark of respect the officers of the State Guard will wear the usual badge of mourning on the left arm and sword-hilt for thirty days from receipt of this order.

By order of the Governor and the Commander-in-Chief.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Sept. 24, 1897.

No better refutation of the sensational tommyrot cabled from Europe this week about the United States having sent an ultimatum to Spain could have been given the public than the departure of President McKinley, Attorney General McKenna and Secretary Alger for Massachusetts, where they intend spending a week in restful recreation. It must be evident to all that if there was a crisis at hand, or even expected, the President and two members of the Cabinet would not leave Washington. These sensational publications are from time to time originated in this country for no other reason than to create a sensation among the readers of some newspapers belonging to "yellow journalism," but those which come from Europe are often inspired some manipulator of international politics, or speculator in bonds. The latest story caused Spanish bonds to fall in price in all the European financial centers, and it may have been started for that very purpose.

There was no surprise in Washington when news of the unanimous ratification of the annexation treaty by the Senate of Hawaii was received. Everybody expected the ratification by the Hawaiian Senate, just as everybody expects the annexation treaty to be ratified by the U. S. Senate early in the coming session of Congress.

Acting Secretary Roosevelt has given Lieutenant Commander Kimball, who will direct the movements of the flotilla of torpedo boats which will leave New York October 1, for a trip down the Atlantic coast, his final instructions. This will be the first time that the United States has had a fleet of torpedo boats together and the most will be made of the opportunity to test the usefulness of this class of boats. The fleet will consist of five vessels, the Foote, the Porter, the Dupont, the Ericson, and the Cushing, and its evolutions will be clearly watched by Naval officers and all who are interested in increasing the effectiveness of our Navy.

The opinion of Attorney General Kenna as to the proper construction of the section of the Dingley tariff imposing discriminating duties, rendered at the request of Secretary Gage, was made public this week. It is a long and carefully prepared document, taking the ground that importations from other countries which come through Canadian ports are not liable to the discriminating duty; also that the duty should not be paid on importations from countries other than British possessions shipped in British vessels. This construction will be accepted by the Treasury Department. Senator Elkins, who was instrumental in changing the working of that section of the tariff bill with the especial purpose in view of diverting the foreign freight brought into the United States over the Canadian Pacific railroad to our own roads, says the matter will not be dropped, but that he will offer a joint resolution in the Senate to abolish the bonding privilege and will also try to put discriminating duties on importations brought through Canada. Senator Proctor says the opinion coincides with his views and that it will be especially pleasing to the business men of New England.

Inasmuch as the reports from Ohio indicate that the Republicans will have a walkover in that State, Secretary Sherman may not make any speeches during the campaign. He is perfectly willing to go if the campaign managers regard his presence as necessary to insure Republican success, although it would be at considerable personal inconvenience and discomfort, but with so many prominent speakers on the stump it is hardly likely that the Secretary will be urged to go. Major Dick paid a flying visit to Washington this week, and he says the Republicans of Ohio never went into a campaign more certain of winning and even the Democrats concede that the election of the Republican State ticket is certain and say that they are devoting their efforts to the legislature.

The monetary conference authorized by the convention that met in Indianapolis last January met in Washington this week and organized for business. The object of the conference is to prepare and recommend financial legislation to Congress.

Democratic Hypocracy.

The Democrats are hard to please. They urge the people to vote against Republican candidates because, as they claim, that party favors "nigger domination." Well, the Republicans have been in powir for three years and no "nigger domination" is in sight, and the Democrats a very badly put out about it. They are telling the colored people that they have been badly treated by their Republican friends; and insist that they demand more recognition. On the other hand, a few colored men have been appointed on school committees in certain counties, and these same Democratic yelpers declare that their awful predictions have come true; that the State is going to the devil through "nigger domination." Could anything show the hypocracy of Democracy more than these inconsistencies? They demand more recognition for the negro and then swear the country is ruined, and the people disgraced every time one of them secures a position.—Asheville Republic.

The New Tenants of the White House.

The first and only pictures Mrs. McKinley has had taken in ten years appear in the October number of "The Ladies' Home Journal." They form part of a series of new and unpublished photographs of the new occupants of the White House. Mrs. McKinley wore for the picture her inaugural ball dress of silver and brocade, at the special request of the President, who thought it particularly becoming. The excellent portrait of Mr. McKinley in his office was taken in June. The other pictures in the series show the many changes in the arrangements ands and furnishings of the rooms and grounds, made by the President and Mrs. McKinley.

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MANAGING HORSES.

HOW YOU SHOULD AND HOW YOU SHOULD NOT TREAT THEM.

Horses Err From Ignorance, Pain or Fright. They Must Be Convinced That Resistance Is Useless—Use the Whip Sparingly and Never Kick the Animal.

Horses are essentially creatures of habit; of gentle, confiding dispositions, but excessively nervous; timid, at times irritable, and prone to resist strenuously anything that frightens them. If, for example, you put a rope halter on an unbroken colt and tie him to a post, the more the rope cuts into his tender skin the greater will be his struggles, while he will soon yield to a halter that inflicts no pain.

Through nervous fright horses sometimes become panic stricken and absolutely uncontrollable. They suffer also occasionally from what, for want of a better name, may be called "nervous paralysis," when they seem to be physically incapable of motion. This condition is almost invariably the result of brutal treatment, and the only reasonable explanation of it is that the first emotion aroused in the horse by punishment is fear; that when he finds that he cannot escape anger and a spirit of resistance are mingled with his fright, and that these combined emotions produce this morbid state.

The horse is quick to take advantage of the ignorance or the fear of those who control him. As compared with the dog, he is somewhat slow of comprehension, but he differs from the dog in this also—that he seldom becomes "too old to learn new tricks," and his memory is so retentive that he never forgets what he has once thoroughly learned.

It may also be set down as a rule, with but few exceptions, that he intends to do just right. If he err, it is from ignorance, pain or fright, rarely from stubbornness or vice. This seems to be generally unknown or at least disregarded, for of all animals the horse is the least understood, the most harshly judged and unjustly treated, and for the least infraction of discipline he is too often brutally punished. If men who train horses would control their tempers and endeavor to ascertain the cause of the animal's misbehavior, they would find that there is often a good excuse for his actions.

The eye is the best index to the animal's feelings. The ears are very expressive, but they do not reveal so plainly the emotions that are dominating him as the eye does. Therefore study the eye with its varying expressions, and when you can read its meaning you hold the key to one of the chief secrets of successful horse training.

The horse should be convinced that resistance is useless, but do not be impatient or harsh. Remember that success is the reward of unwearied patience. If you fail at first, keep trying until you succeed. Do not be discouraged if you do not seem to make much progress. Your task may take weeks or even months, but if you persevere you will triumph.

While it is true that with some horses the whip must be occasionally used, it should be the very last resort, and remember always that one, or at most two, cuts and a few sternly spoken words are more efficacious than an hour's punishment. There is no more vicious or falser idea than that a horse is benefited by a "sound thrashing." On the contrary, it is the very worst thing you can do, because the horse's recollection of the pain and the fright occasioned by it is more vivid and enduring than his remembrance of why it was administered, and at your next lesson he is nervous and afraid and at the least note of anger in your voice (for horses judge the mood of the trainer by his manner and his tone of voice) he may become almost uncontrollable in his efforts to escape the expected flagellation.

It is a safe rule for any one having a hasty temper not to have a whip at hand. The temptation to use it may be too great. And it is also wise not to attempt to teach him when you are in a bad humor, for if he does not do just right you will probably vent some of it on him.

When whipping is used only as a last resort, the necessity for it seldom arises. As the horse makes progress in his education he understands better what is required of him and transgresses less frequently, and nearly always a sound rating when he knows that he is misbehaving is sufficient. Smetimes when this is disregarded a slap with the open hand will cause instant obedience.

There are two forms of punishment, or rather brutality, that are inexcusable under any circumstances—these are striking a horse over the head, no matter how light the blow, and kicking him—and aside from their inhumanity there is great danger of permanently injuring him. Whenever during a lesson a colt or young horse becomes heated and angry, cease at once, and if you have been impatient and abused him keep away from him and do not approach him until he has forgotten the occurrence.

Be soothing and gentle in your manner and your tone of voice. Win his confidence, and you will never regret it, for then in the hour of danger your voice and the touch of your hand reassure him, and he will face imminent peril if only you are near.

In conclusion never forget that the triumph of the trainer's art is in willing and cheerful obedience from a desire to please, and because long custom has made it a habit, not because the horse fears to disobey through dread of punishment.—Our Animal Friends.

Many of the streets of Paris are lined with trees. If a tree dies, another of the same kind, age and size is brought from the state forests and put in its place. The cost is something tremendous, but Paris is the most beautiful of modern cities.

The Kidd Treasure.

Captain William Kidd, the notorious pirate, who was tried in London and executed for piracy in the year 1701, had a ship called the Quida, or Quedagh, an East India merchantman which he had captured near the mouth of the Red sea. He then sailed for the West Indies and, finding that the English had proclaimed him pirate and ordered his arrest, left the Quedagh with 22 of the pirates and sailed to the north. There is a tradition that these pirates transferred their property to another less unwieldy ship and burned the East Indiaman. Another tradition is that she was brought into the Hudson and, being chased by an English man-of-war, was sunk near the Highlands with most of her treasure. It is certain that there was visible for a time the wreck of some large ship sunk in the sands at that place.—Harper's Round Table.

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The postoffice at the Strait of Magellan consists of a small painted keg or cask, and it is chained to the rocks of the extreme cape, in a manner so that it floats free, opposite Terra del Fuego. Each passing ship sends a boat to take letters out and put letters in. This curious postoffice is unprovided with a postmaster, and is, therefore, under the protection of all the navies of the world. Never in the history of the unique "office" have its privileges been abused.

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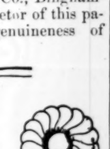

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NORTH CAROLINA,
Pasquotauk County.

Charles Levis and wife, Anna A. Alfred T. Conrow, the two latter being the heirs at law distributees of Thornton Conrow, deceased. and S Morris Waln admistr of Thornton Conrow, plaintiffs,

vs.

The heirs at law and next of kin of Frederick Paxson, deceased, late of Pennsylvania, whose names are unknown, Mrs. Louisa Bush, widow of D. G. Bush, deceased, Geo. T. Bush, one of the heirs at law and distributees of said D. G. Bush and all other heirs at law, if if there be any, of said D. G. Bush, defendants.

THIS is a special proceeding before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pasquotank County to have a trustee appointed in the place of Fredrick Paxson, who was trustee in a certain deed of trust executed by the Land & Lumber Company, wherein that certain tract of land in Pasquotank county, containing 2700 acres, more or less, and known as the Parkville or Proctor tract, was conveyed in trust to secure a debt of Thirty-five Thousand Dollars which said debt was assigned to D. G. Bush and Thornton Conrow, and which has not been paid. The defendants will take notice that they appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court at Elizabeth City on Wednesday, November 10th, 1897, and answer the complaint now filed in the office of said clerk or the relief prayed for will be granted. J. P. OVERMAN,
I. C. MEEKINS, Clerk.
Attorney.

Notice of Administration.

HAVING qualified as Administratrix of the late C. C. Pool, I hereby give notice to all persons indebted to his estate to come forward and make immediate settlement, and those holding claims against the same to present them for payment within twelve months from the date of this notice, or it will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

LIZZIE C. POOL,
Aug, 18th, 1897. Administratrix.

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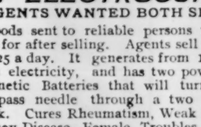

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ISAAC M. MEEKINS,
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The North Carolinian.

Wednesday, September 29, 1897.

☞Cotton coming in.

☞The late rains have done good.

☞Farmers are well on with their Fall work.

☞The Park Fair is advertised to open October 19th, and continne four days.

☞General good health prevails in all this section—both in town and country.

☞Chowan Court at Edenton next week. Our patrons and friends may expect to see us there on Monday.

☞Not a week passes without our receiving letters from the North inquiring about Elizabeth City and surrounding county.

☞The high winds during several days of last week, said to be the "equinox," interfered somewhat with shipping.

☞The CAROLINIAN repeats The farmers who diversify are those who best succeed. They seldom fail in having a "ready money" crop.

☞J. B Catus has been appointed Postmaster at Winton. We know him wel; he is worthy, is fully qualified and will make an efficient officer.

☞And now Senator Butler is abusing Congressman Skinner. It is an old saying that "whom the gods would destroy they first make mad." Butler is mad!

☞In reply to several inquirers we state that the Business Office of Dr. J. O. White, whose bid for the Water Works franchise was accepted, is 631 Walnut street, Philadelphia.

☞A number of leading Populists in the State are wanting to know "who gave Senator Butler authority to speak for North Carolina Populists, as he is neither a member of the State or District Committee."

☞To "A Republican Voter" we make this reply: The Civil Service law as construed and practiced is all wrong. It should not be tolerated in a "government of, for and by the PEOPLE." "Them's our sentiments."

☞A young man named George Roughton, of Tyrrell, charged with rape, was brought here last week on habeas corpus, but the Judge not appearing, he was taken back to Columbia jail. A number of witnesses were summoned.

☞A certificate from the Recording Angel that a man in this life paid his honest debts, his printer's bill included, and redeemed the promises made his fellow men, will have more influence with St. Peter to open the gates of the New Jerusalem than one simply stating that he sang hymns and made long and loud prayers.

☞The statement that C. B. Aycock has been appointed U. S. District Attorney ad interum by the President is an error. He was simply appointed by Chief Justice Fuller, who is a Democrat, until President McKinley appoints his successor. There appears to be a "hitch" in this matter, as in some others in this District.

☞"About this time, look out for fires." So the almanac might well say. People will begin starting their heaters, and then defective flues and soot-choked pipes will get in their work. Careful examination before kindling the fire, and close watchfulness for a few days thereafter, are earnestly to be commended.

☞We judge of a farmer by his farm, and of a farm by what we see on passing it. If all is neat and tidy, fences and outbuildings as well as dwelling houses in good repair; if tools, wagons and machinery are housed and painted, and animals sleek and contented, we are satisfied that the owner is a good farmer and prosperous.

☞Remarked a prominent citizen recently: "When, two and a half years ago, the Town Government passed into the control of the Republicans, I had grave fears that, in every respect, it would be for the worse. But I must confess that I have been most agreeably disappointed. Everything has moved on smoothly; there is good order; the town is making rapid progress in growth and improvements, and I am satisfied."

☞To Co-operation Republicans and Populists the advice of the CAROLINIAN is: Keep cool If some things have not been and others are done that were not expected, do not make matters worse by indiscreet expressions and hasty action. At the proper time and in a calm, deliberate way, let a united course be decided on. A Democratic victory in North Carolina at the next election would place Republicans and Populists in a worse condition than ever before.

Ripans Tabules; pleasant laxative.
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☞Judge Brown opens Perquimans Court at Hertford to-day.

☞Select the seed corn as soon as the grain has hardened.

☞Sample Carpet Rugs from 5c to 25c at Fowler & Co.'s

☞Using plenty of bedding is necessary to save all the manure

☞Bargains in Blankets at Fowler Co.'s. See theirs before buying.

☞To learn from the experience of others is an aid to culture and improvement.

☞Dress Goods at a price to please all this Fall at Fowler & Co.'s

☞It is hardly good economy to abuse the stock in which you have your money invested.

☞Carpets and Straw Mattings at bottom prices at Fowler & Co.'s

☞Don't exaggerate. If you repeat a story as it was told to you, you are exaggerating enough.

☞Fowler & Co. struck it right again on Overcoats and Suits. Save money by seeing theirs.

☞Defect in manners is usually the defect of fine perceptions. Elegance comes of no breeding, but of birth.

☞That Kid Glove Moses Weisel is selling for 79c is a corker.

☞When you are in the City have your PICTURE taken at Zoeller's on Water Street.

☞The rubber rings for fruit jars when stiffened, may be restored by soaking them in water in which ammonia has been added.

☞Shoes! Shoes and Boots. Fowler & Co. bought before the advance and will give you the benefit

☞Gum Boots, Oil Clothing, and Twines and Nets, at wholesale at Fowler & Co.

☞After all, the man who works his way down hill looks a sight worse than the man who has worked his way up.

☞Zoeller's Crayon Work in Frame for $2.90, is the Town talk.

☞A writer states that married people live longer than the unmarried, and his advice is: "Get married." Sensible.

☞The man who has no happiness in life is one who doesn't wear Moses Weisel's perfect fitting shirts.

☞It may not be generally known that a room may be swept without raising a dust by scattering scraps of damp paper arouud.

☞Its a peach! that $1.25 Overcoats for boys at Moses Weisel's, sizes from 5 to 13 years, with capes.

☞Flattery is the art of making others believe you are interested in them, when in reality they gi ve you that tired feeling.

☞The man who doesn't turn up at Moses Weisel's Gents Furnishing Goods sale is very apt to be turned down by judges of elegant styles.

☞Nature has a round-about way of doing things. For instance, from chickens we get eggs and from eggs we get chickens.

☞How are you off for Blankets. We have 'em, the best to be had from 50c the pair to $5. Moses Weisel.

☞A wise man doesn't like to admit that he has been foolish twice in the same way. If he forgets to buy his Neckties of Moses Weisel one day, he manages to drop into the store the next time he needs a supply.

☞The climax of a human career is reached not necessarily when what the world calls success comes, but when, in the presence of probable defeat and surrender, the resolve is made to walk alone, if need be, and do one's duty.

NIGHT SCHOOL!—The undersigned, a graduate of the Norfolk Business College, will open a Night School at the Atlantic Collegiate Institute Oct. 4, at 8 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of giving Instruction in Book-Keeping, Shorthand and Typewriting. Lessons will be given three nights per week. Rates: Shorthand and Typewriting, $2 per month; Book-Keeping, $1.50 per month. Miss Carrie B. Cartwright.

LOCAL MENTION.

The sun rose this morning at 5:52 and will set to-night at 5:47.—Spendid weather for out door work.—The Telephone Company is about to double the capacity of its plant—Chief of Police Wm. C. Brooks and Miss Minnie C. Greaves were married at the residence of the bride's father on Road street on Wednesday, night Rev. J. H. Hall, of the Methodist Church, officiating. The happy couple will accept the congratulations of the CAROLINIAN.—Happiness is like the statue of Isis, whose veil no mortal ever raised.—Mrs. Jennie Palmer and children are visiting friends at Gilmerton, Va.—The local Democratic organ admits that Mayor Banks is a polite and accommodating Chief Magistrate of the town.—A sad combination is thus stated:

Little drops of water,
Little grains of sand;
Spoil the ride the cyclist
Had so merrily planned.

—"I thought you could keep a secret," said a down-towner the other day. "So I can," replied the other fellow. "Why didn't you keep the secret I told you?" "Because when you told it, it ceased to be a secret." Just so.—Mr. A. L. Whitehurst, of Berkley, Va., spent last week in our city.—Proud looks make foul work on fair faces —Mr. Geo. W. Brothers has been elected to fill the vacancy in the School Committee caused by the death of W. J. Griffin. A very good selection.—Mrs. Benson, of Eastern Shore, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. L. Winder, on upper Main street.—The longest days are those in which we wait for letters that fail to come.—Mrs. Mamie Miller, of Avon, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jarvis Seeley, on Poindexter street.—Misses Lydia Campbell and Sallie Achenback, of Allentown, Pa., are visiting Mrs. B. C. Krupp, on Riverside.—The following is a Versicle on the "Enfant Terrible":

"All is over between us," she cried,
But quick she discovered her blunder;
A giggle beneath the settee
Soon showed there was still something under,

—The School Committee of Elizabeth City have adopted and published for general distribution Rules and Regulations for the Public Schools which parents and all interested will do well to carefully read.—It is a great shock to us sometimes to recall some of the things we once thought were funny. —Mr. Harry Grandy has left to finish his law course in the Columbian College at Washington City.—Keep at some work of usefulness.—"Pa, what is an heir-at-law?" inquired little Robbie. "Usually the lawyer, my son," was the reply.—It is said that one touch of the milliner's fingers makes the whole feminine world akin. —Miss Sue V. Thomas, of Portsmouth, Va., is visiting her friend, Miss Mattie D. Bland, on West Main street.—The officials of the Baptist Church have called Rev. Dr. W. S. Penick, of Shreevesport, La., to to sueceed Dr. Blackwell as Pastor. Salary $1 500.—"Does mamma give you anything for being a good boy?" asked the visitor. "No; she gives it to me when I ain't," was little Tommy's answer.—Still more new buildings going up in different parts of the city. —The following is from a rhyming pedesterian:

Tell me, ye winged winds, as merrily ye blow,
Do you know some spot where cycles never go?
The wind replied in atmosphyric lingo,
"I much regret to say I don't by jingo."

—At the last meeting of the Town Commissioners a party asked the privilge of numbering the business houses and residences on the principal streets of the city, which was granted, the work to be done without any cost to the Corporation.—The Rev. J. W. Boyer and Mr. J. Ebert, of Bethlehem, Pa., are the guests of Rev. B. C. Krupp on Riverside. The latter preached very interesting sermons at the old Opera House on Sunday.—The population of Elizabeth City is now about 8000. The 10,000 mark will be reached within the time the CAROLINIAN predicted.—"Look at your mercies with both eyes and at your trials and troubles with only one" s good advice.—When your friends come and go, let us know it, and we will be glad to announce the fact in this column.—Mrs. John A. Kramer, who has been spending the summer visiting her parents at Kalamazoo, Mich., has returned accompanied by her aunt.—Writes the Poet:

Most of life is froth and and bubble,
Two things stand like stone,
Kindness in another's trouble
Courage in your own.

—M. Lawrence Davis, printer and foreman of the Edenton "Herald," gave us a call on Satuaday.—Our young townsman Master Howard A. Willey, who has been spending some time visiting in Connecticut, New York and Maryland, is expected home this week.—As the Ice man's harvest passes the Coal man's appears.—Zoeller, the Photographer, is executing a life-size picture of the late Wm. J. Griffin for the Armory.—Mrs. Greene, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Speight, on upper Fearing street, left yesterday for her home in Virginia.—The Public Schools opened on Monday. Good and competent teachers have been placed in charge of both the white and colored schools.—We are sorry to report that Mrs. Ida V. Simpson is quite ill at her residence on Church street.—Deputy Sheriff W. H. Keaton left on Monday to carry Fred Horton to the Insane Asylum.—B. G. Crisp, a member of the Manteo Bar, gave us a call ou Monday. His professional card appears in this issue. —See Court notice in another column. —Miss Ethel Blythe, who bas been visiting at Columbia, has returned.—The Corporation Tax Book is now in the hands of Collector Brooks. Pay up. —Isaac M. Meekins esq., City Attorney, left on Monday for Raleigh to argue a case in the Supreme Court.—L. C. Guirkin & Co., will open a wholesale and retail Grocery Store on Poindexter street on October 1st.—Several cases in the Mayor's Court this week. Violators of law must pay the penalty.—Monday was observed by our citizens of the Jewish faith as the Hebrew New Year.—Don't believe all the evil you hear.—Felix Jones esq., of Indiantown, called yesterday. He speaks encouragingly of the crops in his section, especially of the corn.—The Job Printing executed at the CAROLINIAN Office gives universal satisfaction.—Plenty of fine fish in market.—Mrs. Judge Pool leaves to-day on an extended visit to her sons in New York and friends at New London, Ct.

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The Captor of Atlanta.

General Horace Porter, in his "Campaigning With Grant" in The Century, tells of a mission to Sherman after the capture of Atlanta, on which he was sent by General Grant. General Porter says:

Upon reaching Atlanta I went at once to General Sherman's headquarters. My mind was naturally wrought up to a high pitch of curiosity to see the famous soldier of the west, whom I had never met. He had taken up his quarters in a comfortable brick house belonging to Judge Lyons, opposite the courthouse square. As I approached I saw the captor of Atlanta on the porch, sitting tilted back in a large armchair, reading a newspaper. His coat was unbuttoned, his black felt hat slouched over his brow, and on his feet were a pair of slippers very much down at the heels. He was in the prime of life and in the perfection of physical health. He was just 44 years of age, and almost at the summit of his military fame. With his large frame, tall, gaunt form, restless hazel eyes, aquiline nose, bronzed face and crisp beard, he looked the picture of "grim visaged war." My coming had been announced to him by telegraph, and he was expecting my arrival at this time. I approached him, introduced myself, and handed him General Grant's letter. He tilted forward in his chair, crumpled the newspaper in his left hand while with his right he shook hands cordially, then pushed a chair forward and invited me to sit down. His reception was exceedingly cordial, and his manner exhibited all the personal peculiarities which General Grant, in speaking of him, had so often described.

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[Items of interest concerning the Colored People will regularly appear in this column.]

Revival services are in progress at Olive Branch Church.

Mr. James Lawrence, the well-known huckster, is very ill at his home.

Rev. P. R. Anderson is in Pittsburg, Pa., enjoying a much needed vacation.

The Roanoke Institute is announced to open its second annual session next Tuesday morning.

Rev. Luke Pierce has recently returned from a trip to Nashville.

Mrs Jane Benbury, of Plymouth, is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. J. R. Harris has returned to his home in Berkley after a short time spent in this community.

Rumor has it that another of our well-known couples will soon launch upon the matrimonial sea.

The Public School opened on Monday morning. Principal J. W. Barrington reports a favorable opening.

Mr. M. L. Davis, of the "Herald" office, at Edenton, returned home yesterday, after making a brief but pleasant visit to our town.

The home of Miss Josephine Brockett, on Griffin street, was the scene of a very pleasant occasion on Monday evening. Many of her young friends were present and helped while away the time until a late hour.

The Grand Lodge of the Order of Love and Charity for this State is holding its session here this week. In addition to the regular work of the Order some interesting exercises have been arranged to which the public generally is invited.

The opening of the Public School in September is somewhat new to us, yet it should be readily appreciated. The little ones, as well as the poorly clad, can much better attend now than during the unpleasant weather of winter, therefore let there be a full attendance.

Rev. H. B. Pettigrew, of Edenton, was at Mt. Lebanon Sunday.

After spending the summer here with her parents, Mrs. Susie E. Jones left Thursday last for her home in Newark, N J.

Mr. Elisha Overton has charge of the wood work and A. L. Hawkins brick work of the large building being erected near Poindexter street bridge.

Mrs. Annie Johnson, aged 34 years, died at her home on Shephard street last Friday night. The funeral was preached by Rev. Samuel Story at Mt. Lebanon Church Sunday.

During a difference of opinion on last Saturday evening between a worthy citizen and his wife, the latter used a chair to enforce her views and as a result he is now in his room meditating upon sundry bruises.

The death of W. S. Midgett, of Manteo, occurred on September 19th, instead of August as appeard last week.

F. L. Midgett, of Manteo, was in the city yesterday. He reports that Fields Midgett made a haul of some large fish the other day and that Ben Midgett caught several bushels of oysters.

Secretary F. W. M. Butler reports that James McMurren, John Elliott and Mathias Johnson have been taken from the roll of membership of the Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company for repeated violation of the Club's laws.

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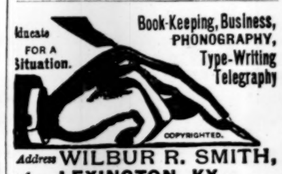

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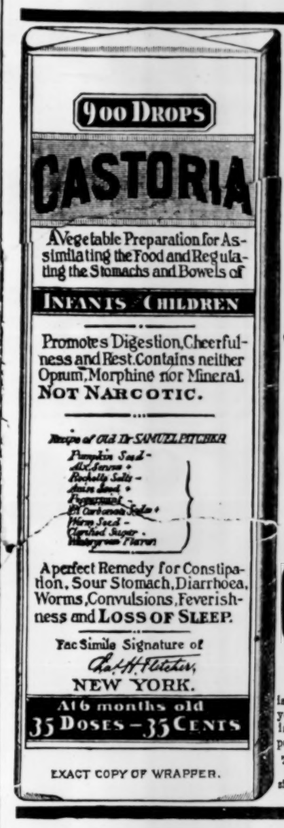
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Earnings of Some Women.

One of the pioneer women doctors in England, Mrs. Garrett Anderson, at one of the jubilee congresses spoke of the earnings of successful women as running from $1000 to $5000 per annum. The London Woman says the highest sum is one seldom reached, however. On the other hand, the New York Evening Post says that $5000 may be a very large sum for a female physician to earn in London in a year, but there are a number of New York women doctors who can point to twice that sum as the result of their professional labors for a twelvemonth.

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Funerals in Olden Times.

Americans awakened more quickly than the English people to the follies of a burdensome and expensive funeral, and in 1821 Judge Sewall noted the first public funeral "without scarfs" in Boston. In 1741 the provincial court of Massachusetts enacted that "no Scarves or Gloves, except six pair to the bearers and one pair to each minister of the church or congregation where any deceased persons belong, no wine, rum or rings be allowed to be given at any funeral upon the penalty of £50." The law must have been a dead letter, but it certainly had its influence in curtailing expenses, as various newspaper notices show. Still, this century, a New England funeral was a pompous affair, and it must, be confessed, far from being in all respects a gloomy affair. Hawthorne says:

"Look back through all the social customs of New England in the first century of her existence, and read all her traits of character and find one occasion, other than a funeral feast, where jollity was sanctioned by universal practice."

New England was ever present at a New England funeral to solace and to cheer bereaved mourners. All drank before the procession to the grave, and many drank after. Nearly all the itemized funeral bills I have seen until this century were large in items of rum, whisky, lemons, loaf sugar and spices. Spiced cider was a favorite drink at a funeral. When a beloved minister chanced to die, his church, or more often the town, outdid itself in liberal liquid provision for the funeral. Nor were town paupers forgotten in death. A barrel of cider or two or three gallons of rum were supplied by the town as the final item of expense for the "town poor."

Judge Sewall spoke of a visit to his family tomb as an "awful yet pleasing treat." No less plainly do the entries in his dairy show that every funeral he attended was to him a treat—a great social treatment. He served readily and officially as pallbearer at thirty funerals, and in every case but one received scarf, ring and gloves. He could not attend one funeral lest he should hear the burial service of the Episcopal Church, which, he said, was "a lying, very bad office; makes no difference between the precious or the vile."—Chicago Record.

Love in Guatemala.

If a writer in the Chicago Inter-Ocean is to be believed, the laws of etiquette in Guatemala are excessively strict. All love affairs, it appears, are carried on by stealth. "The would-be lover, denied admission to the presence of his inamorata, frequents the street in front of her house and spends most of his waking hours in pacing the pavement and gazing rapturously at her window, while she snugly ensconced behind her bars, pretends to ignore him, though secretly delighted to have a suitor and anxious to show him off to all her acquaintances. In Spain this courting in public at long range is known as 'plucking the turkey; in Guatemala, as in Mexico, it is called 'playing the bear.' Always it is continued for months; sometimes for years, and maybe without success at all. The result does not depend upon the wishes of the girl, but upon the will of her parents. After a while they make inquiries into the young man's character, prospects and social standing. If reports are satisfactory, the senorita's father or big brother scrapes up an acquaintance with the suitor at the club or elsewhere and invites him to the house. But never, never, for one moment is he allowed to see her alone, or to walk or drive with her. As to marriage, a civil as well as religious ceremony is insisted upon by the Government. By law the civil ceremony must precede that of the church and by custom the latter is a most tedious and lengthy affair. Some little contrast, isn't there, between all this amatory red tape and the free and easy method of the young people of the United States?"

Electricity From Street Dirt.

An economic and scientific experiment will be given on Monday in London, when Lord Kelvin opens at Shoreditch the combined electricity and dust destruction works erected at a cost of about $750,000. The destructor cells are capable of burning 20,000 tons of ashbin refuse yearly, and the heat given out is sufficient for the electric light and power of the whole Shoreditch, with a population of 124,000 besides supplying heat to the adjoining bath and wash houses.

In Paris lamps will be lighted for the first time on Monday by electricity furnished by a destructor.

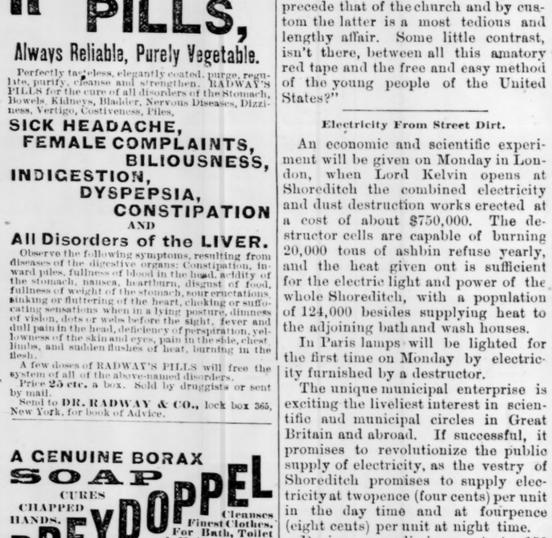
The unique municipal enterprise is exciting the liveliest interest in scientific and municipal circles in Great Britain and abroad. If successful, it promises to revolutionize the public supply of electricity, as the vestry of Shoreditch promises to supply electricity at twopence (four cents) per unit in the day time and at fourpence (eight cents) per unit at night time.

During a preliminary test 150 pounds pressure of steam was raised in the boilers from dust alone, absolutely no coal being used.—Industrial World.

Richest Baby on Earth.

The Czar's daughter, the Grand Duchess Olga, may be said to be the richest baby in the world. The week she was born a million pounds was settled on her, and it is whispered that this huge sum is safely invested in British and French securities, for in a country like Russia no one knows what may happen to members of the reigning house.

The soldier Duke d'Eperney became sick for hours if he saw a hare, and once kept to his bed for a week because one leaped upon him.



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And though you may seek it by night or day
The task you will never achieve,
For only the little ones know the way
To the land of "Make Believe."

Clad in their armor of Faith they ride
On the wings of their fancy fleet,
And we hear, as we listen and wait outside,
The echo of laughter sweet,
It lightens the burdens of toil we bear,
It brightens the hearts that grieve;
Till we wish we could follow and enter there
In the land of "Make Believe."

And oh, the wonderful tales that are told
Of the marvellous sights they see!
For the weak grow strong and the young grow old,
And are each what they wish to be.
Oh the deeds of valor, the mighty things—
Too bold for mind to conceive!
But these are every-day happenings
In the land of "Make Believe."

Would you follow the print of the tiny feet?
You must walk as they, undefiled.
Would you join in their fancies pure and sweet?
You must be as a little child.
But in vain should we seek it by night or day,
The task we should never achieve;
For only the little ones know the way
To the land of "Make Believe."
—Ida G. Morris, in Youth's Companion.

BERENICE'S HAIR.

BY CHARLES L. HILDRETH.

Full twenty miles from headland to headland Ramortin bay curves in a silver-green crescent, spotted with rocky islets, uninhabited except by the gulls and gunnets which wheel and flutter all day long about and above their barren, seagirt villages. There is neither town nor hamlet nor so much even as a fisherman's hut upon the whole extent of the shores. For the bay is too shallow and too thickly beset with shoals and ledges to render safe the visit of the smallest trawler or smack. As you stand upon the hill overlooking the narrow, ill-kept road which leads from St. Giles to Windsor, along the shores of the bay, you may watch the white-winged sloops and schooners going free or tacking against a head wind, but you will never see one of them making a reach into Ramortin bay.

It is indeed an ill-omened place, and more than one mackereler, loaded to the hatches, has grounded upon these evil shoals, and gone to pieces in the next northeast gale.

But what was chiefly given Ramotin bay its ugly reputation is a space of beach covered only at extreme high tide and bare at all other times, known as the Sundown Sands. It is a wide grayish-hued surface, running outward some forty yards to the fringe of tumbling turf, which, during most seasons of the year, approaches no nearer the road, a mere wagon track skirting the shore at this point upon an ancient stone wall. A perilous spot it is, too, for the highway abuts sharply upon the sands, without railing or parapet, scarce five feet above the grim expanse, which quakes and trembles from moment to moment, with mysterious hissings and groanings, which seem to proceed from unseen coverns below. There are grewsome stories of foot passengers who have fallen off the wall and been swallowed up, their piteous cries mingled with the eerie shrieks of the night heron, or the far-heard, melancholy whoopings of the owl among the branches of the blasted cypress upon the adjacent hillside. It is said, too, that an honest farmer, driving homeward from St. Giles' market by this road, lost his way in the darkness, and was never more heard of—neither man nor horse nor vehicle.

Standing upon the ancient wall you might throw upon the smooth surface of the Sundown Sands a pebble, a button, a twig, and as you gazed it would sink from sight in a moment, leaving all as blank and secret as before.

A sad and desolate spot it is, even upon the brightest midsummer noonday. The storm-writhen cypress on the hillside is the only thing resembling tree or shrub in sight. Sparse mottlings of whithered grass find wretched sustenance among the rocks. Dank clumps of blubber weed and clots of sprawling algae cling upon the surf-worn rocks beyond the rim of the Sundown Sands. Naught else has nature—all beautifier as she is—been able to work upon this mournful place.

Half a mile over the hill there is an ancient many gabled dwelling, surrounded by evergreens, facing upon the main road. From the upper windows a glimpse of the Sundown Sands and the old road skirting them may be obtained.

The young girl that stood at one of these windows, marine glass in hand, scanned the section of the road, visible from her position, with pale face and breathless anxiety. She was tall and slender of figure, with something commanding in the attitude she had unconsciously assumed, which matched the firm yet gentle aspect of her beautiful features. What first struck the observer was her magnificent hair. Red brown, shot with glints of gold, like the hair Titian was so fond of painting, but with a glory and a brilliancy never represented by pigment on canvas, it was gathered in a superb knot at the back of her shapely head. During the brief winter visits to the metropolis Berenice Tolland's hair had become famous in the small circles she frequented. And indeed it was glorious, wonderful hair, worthy of a goddess of the Arcadian days.

Suddenly she dropped the glass with a cry of dismay.

"They are quarrelling!" she ejaculated, in a smothered voice. "I must part them, or something terrible may happen."

As she turned hastily about, the fastenings of her hair gave way and the glittering coil unrolled and fell, sweeping the floor in a thick, gold-flecked mass. Swiftly she twisted it up, and, throwing a shawl of lace over her head and shoulders she hurried out of the house, taking the rough, descending slope of the hill as more direct than the roundabout curve of the road.

"Let us pause here a moment, Cousin Geoffrey. I have something serious to say to you."

"What is it, Cousin Roger? I must say you have chosen an unpleasant spot for a talk. I never take this road if I can help it; for those ugly looking sands give me the horrors."

"As good a grave as any other," muttered Roger, gazing over the edge of the wall with a gloomy brow. "A man might lie as comfortable under those sands as in a churchyard."

"Look you, Roger, my boy," said Geoffrey, with an attempt at gayety. "If you dragged me out of my comfortable bed this morning to listen to disquisitions upon the grave and the future state, I wish you had let me speep an hour longer."

"Geoffrey," returned Roger, raising a face whose expression, startled his companion. It was deadly pale, and a lurid gleam shot from his eyes, indicative of such hatred and despair as appalled his cousin. "Geoffrey, you have taken from me all that makes life valuable. You have destroyed all my hopes of the future. You have condemned me to hell, when, but for you, I might have had heaven."

"Cousin Roger," replied Geoffrey, his natural spirit beginning to overcome his amazement, "I hope you are talking mere nonsense. But if you mean anything by this rigmarole I expect you to explain it at once. Speak out, man!"

"You have robbed me of Berenice Tolland's love," said Roger, with a lowering eye. "Had you not come here she would have accepted me. Now she has put me aside for you."

"Roger," returned Geoffrey, seriously, tell me, on your word of honor, were you sure that Berenice loved you before I came?"

Roger paced to and fro along the edge of the sea wall, looking gloomily down upon the quaking sands, answering nothing for some moments.

"No," he muttered, finally, as if preforce. "No; she refused me more than once. But, nevertheless, I should have conquered her opposition in time but for you; you who have won her away from me."

Geoffrey confronted him with an angry frown. "And you, whom she has never liked; whom she has refused again and again, even according to your own story, wish to drive me away—make me relinquish my hopes of happiness, that you, who have not been able to win her, with all your opportunities, may continue to persecute her! No, Roger, understand me plainly. If I were to crawl away meanly at your request, and, as I take it, your threats, I should be as low a coward as you are."

The cousins were standing facing each other upon the very edge of the sea wall, against which throbbed and bubbled the fatal Sundown Sands.

"You refuse to go away and leave Berenice Tolland to me?" Roger's voice was scarcely audible, but the expression of his face was terrific in its malignity.

"I do refuse, Roger," was the firm reply, "and you ought to understand that I should be less a man to do otherwise."

"Then die and find your grave in the Sundown Sands," cried Roger, flinging himself upon Geoffrey and endeavoring to hurl him over the wall.

But Geoffrey had been, in a measure, prepared for the onslaught, and the cousins, locked in a desperate embrace swayed to and fro upon the very brink of the fatal quicksand. The struggle was as silent as it was deadly. No word, no sound, except the hoarse gasps of the combatants interrupted the fatal contest. Finally, Geoffrey's foot slipped over a pebble and he staggered backward. With a bitter curl of the lip, and a savage heave of the shoulders, Roger cast his opponent toward the edge of the wall.

Geoffrey fell backward, and, with a wild clutch, found himself hanging half over the wall, with his feet within an inch of the deadly sands. Dragging himself desperately up, he fell panting upon the edge of the parapet.

Rising to his knees and looking about him he was amazed to find his enemy nowhere in sight. Getting upon his feet, he rubbed his cramped limbs and cried out:

"Cousin Roger! Where are you!"

"Here, Cousin Geoffrey," was the sad reply, "where I deserve to be."

Looking over the sea wall he beheld Roger standing ankle deep in the Sundown Sands.

"Oh, Roger!" cried Geoffrey, "I must rescue you, or you will be swallowed up."

"What! when I tried to throw you into the sands," said Roger. "That is too much. Let me die, cousin! I tried to put you where I am now. Forgive me, and let me go."

"Oh, there must be some means," cried Geogrey, looking wildly about. "Some branch, some"——

"None, dear Geoffrey," replied Roger, who had now sunk half way to his knees.

At that moment a girl came racing like a deer down the stony side of the hill.

"Oh! thank God you are safe!" she cried, as she fell upon Geoffrey's breast. "I was so afraid that awful man might injure you."

"Here is that awful man, Berenice," said a mournful voice below the sea wall. "His power to do harm is nearly over."

"Cousin Roger!" exclaimed the girl, bending over the wall. "Oh, save him, Geoffrey; save him!"

"So I would," replied Geoffrey, "if I had a stick, or a rope, even of five feet length. But what can I do? Long before I can run to the house, he will be swallowed up."

"Five feet, you say!" cried the girl. "Here, here!" and with a gesture she unbound her magnificent hair and cast the glistening rope over the wall. "Catch hold! Catch hold, Cousin Roger!"

The sunny coil fell within the reach of the imperilled man, who clutched it with the grasp of desperation. Slowly he was drawn out of the frightful sands, until his feet were free, and he could meet the clasp of the hands extended to him with the friendly grip which had forgotten the touch of auger in the joy of rescue.

As Roger stood upright and shook the sand from his feet, he extended both hands toward Geoffrey, who took them heartily.

"Geoffrey," said Roger, "I have been very near death in a most terrible form, and it has taught me a lesson. Forgive me and be happy."

"And you, cousin," replied Geoffrey "if you are ever disposed to envy our happiness remember that you were saved by Berenice's hair."—New York Journal.

Too Late.

Myrtle—They say that you made a regular fool of Algy Piersons, at the islands, last week.

Maud—No; they are wrong. I might have done it, but for one thing.

Myrtle—What was that?

Maud—Somebody had finished the job before I got hold of him.—Cleveland Leader.

Paine.

Patient—Vot? Two dollars for takin' oud dem teeth?

Dentist—Two dollars if you take gas.

Patient—Young man, I t'ought you vos a dentist. I didn't know you vos a gas gombany.—Puck.

A Misunderstanding.

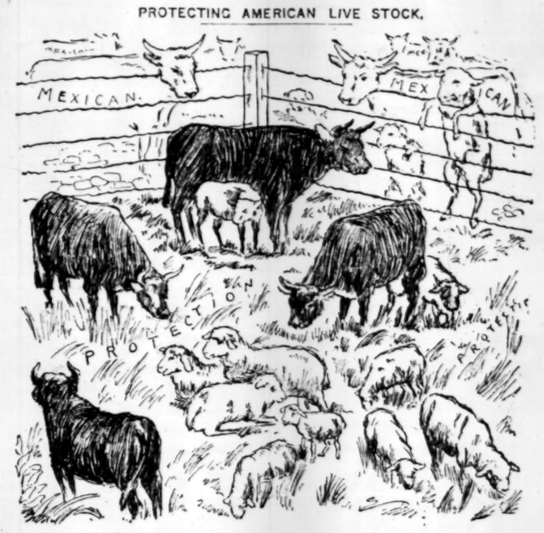
Guest—You said there was plenty of fishing here. Your old brook is nothing but a mosquito-infested swamp.

Landlord—I said there were lots of bites.—Philadelphia North American.

Old Suspension Bridge.

A chain bridge over the Merrimac river at Amesbury, Mass., is said to be the oldest suspension bridge in the United States. It was built in 1792.

PROTECTING AMERICAN LIVE STOCK.



THE NEW TARIFF ON ART.

FOREIGN ARTISTS APPROVE OF DINGLEY PROTECTION.

Helps to Exclude Cheap Art Productions—Raises the Art Standard—Stimulates the Demand For Good Foreign Work—Interviews With French Artists.

Will the Dingley Tariff bill which has just come into force in America have a good, bad or neutral effect upon the sale of pictures by French painters? is the question which has been occupying the minds of prominent artists in Paris during the past few weeks. The Americans, as is well known, have a very fine appreciation of the work of French artists, and they yearly flock to Paris by hundreds to learn their methods, though, as a matter of fact, but few who return to their own country ever enter into serious competition with their masters. Such men as Bougereau and Lefebvre and Puvis de Chavannes still find a ready sale for their pictures in the United States, but whether they will do so when their works are taxed twenty per cent. is a moot point. Even supposing that the tax makes no difference in the case of first-class men, are we so sure it will be the same with the large number of French artists who supply illustrations for the American magazines?

Calling upon M. Bougereau at his house in the Rue Notre Dame des Champs, I asked the distinguished painter his opinion.

"Well, taken all in all," he said, "I really am inclined to think the bill will have a good effect, judging the matter from a high artistic standpoint. My opinion is that the standard of art will be raised, because you must know that ever since the passing of the act allowing free entry of pictures into the United States the place has been flooded with worthless works of art. Now, the American public won't mind paying twenty per cent. upon a genuine work of art, but it will be another matter in the case of bad art—you will not find picture dealers willing to take the risk of paying a tax on worthless canvasses."

Madame Bougereau, nee Elizabeth Gardener, an American lady who has gained a considerable reputation in the States as an artist, echoed the opinion of her husband, but thought the tax rather excessive. She was glad, however, that the tax was applied to everyone without exception, for some years ago it had always seemed so ungracious that her pictures should enter the United States free of duty while those of men from whom she had learnt everything should be subject to a tax.

It was hard for M. Lefebvre to take the new tax seriously. The idea of a tax on art seemed to him preposterous.

"You never know what the Americans will do next," he said. "Experiments which others would regard as foredoomed to failure serve only to inspire them to new efforts. A tax upon pictures was tried before and gradually abolished. Looking at the matter seriously, I don't think the tariff will make any difference to good painters. Connoisseurs will always be willing to pay for first-class work. It is not the artist who will have to pay this tax, but the American picture buyer. Incompetent artists will be the ones to suffer by the new tax, and probably it will make considerable difference to the sale of foreign illustrations in America."

M. Olivier Merson, who has done much work in the past for Harper's and other American magazines, had no very definite opinion on the subject of the new tariff bill and its effect upon the sale of his work. But he did not seem to have any fear that it would check the sale of drawings for newspapers and magazines. These would probably buy foreign work at any cost.—Paris Correspondence Westminster Gazette.

Check the Cheap Labor.

It has long been known, and recent experience has shown its intensity, that quite a number of unemployed laborers come to this country across the Canadian border. It is not the mere fact that they are unemployed to which we object, as it is the fact of their unfortunate impoverished condition. The immigration laws upon our statutes are supposed to check any influx of pauper labor. But they do not, because they are not rigidly enforced. It is not possible to watch every mile of the Canadian border, but it should be possible to prevent the admission of British pauper labor at those points where American officials are stationed. With the restoration of prosperity under our policy of protection, and the consequent greater employment of labor, we are sure to see many hundreds of English, Canadian and Chinese laborers attempting to locate in the United States, and every effort made to do so—in contravention of our immigration laws—should be promptly checked. The American labor market should be supplied by American wage-earners. There are more than enough of them to supply all demands at present.

Money In Their Pockets.

"The new Republican monster not only pulls money out of the pockets of all consumers who remain at home, but it puts its paw into the trunks of all returning travelers."—Wilmington (N. C.) Messenger.

Under the Democratic policy of free trade it was impossible "to pull money out of the pockets" of Americans because there was no money in their pockets. Now they are getting well lined again with American dollars and all "patriots" are pleased to contribute their little mites to Uncle Sam's treasure chest.

TARIFF ON PERSONAL EFFECTS.

Western Opinion Approves Taxing Tourists' Baggage.

The operation of the clause in the new tariff law relating to the personal effects of American tourists returning home from abroad does not as a rule meet with the approval of such persons. Under the Dingley law the exemption of personal effects from the payment of duty is limited to the value of $100 of articles purchased abroad. All wearing apparel and other personal effects taken abroad are readmitted free of duty providing their identity is established. Very few travelers have adjusted themselves to the requirements of the tariff, and they are almost without exception assessed for more or less considerable amounts on landing in this country, several thousands of dollars being paid by the passengers of each incoming steamer since the tariff law went into effect.

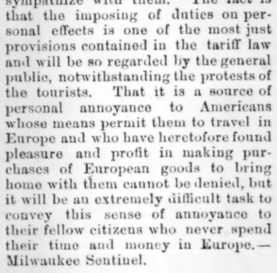
As was to be expected there is a great deal of comment on this section of the law. Tourists have never before been greatly restricted in their importation of personal belongings. Personal effects have always been free and a liberal construction has been placed upon the term "personal effects" at the Custom House. Men and women having made purchases abroad are greatly disappointed to find that the cost of whatever articles they have acquired in foreign cities plus the duties levied at the Custom House is as great, or greater, than their cost would be in this country. Among this class of citizens there is a great deal of sincere wrath against the Dingley bill. They do not like being taxed where they have before enjoyed an immunity and many of them have been loud in their denunciations of a protective tariff that interferes with their personal purchases. It is somewhat amusing, however, to find certain free trade organs taking up such denunciations and arguing that the unpopularity of the Dingley law with that portion of the traveling public that makes Europe its destination will be an important factor in bringing about the repeal of the law. This assumption ascribes an influence to a comparatively small number of voters that is utterly preposterous. Because a few thousand people who are in the habit of doing their shopping in Europe have been restricted, it is ridiculous to suppose that the millions of others who stay at home can be induced to sympathize with them. The fact is that the imposing of duties on personal effects is one of the most just provisions contained in the tariff law and will be so regarded by the general public, notwithstanding the protests of the tourists. That it is a source of personal annoyance to Americans whose means permit them to travel in Europe and who have heretofore found pleasure and profit in making purchases of European goods to bring home with them cannot be denied, but it will be an extremely difficult task to convey this sense of annoyance to their fellow citizens who never spend their time and money in Europe.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

The Farm Bulletin.

A Double Blessing.

Blessings, like misfortunes, sometimes come in pairs. The triumph of the American system of protection, at the polls last November, has put an end to the outflow of gold from our shores to pay for foreign made goods; and now has come the discovery of gold in Alaska to put more money into the pockets of the American people.

Ah, There!



The Late William Bryan.

"To-day Bryan couldn't poll half as many votes as he did in November"—Minneapolis Journal.

Glad to hear it. And let us take care that he doesn't poll a dozen votes in 1900. Kill him at the Democratic convention.

A Machine to Brush Away Insects.

A Hungarian farmer of Beeville, La., has invented a machine which, it is said, will brush away all kinds of insects from cotton plants.

A MOTHER'S EFFORT.

A Mother Sees Her Daughter in a Pitiful Condition, but Manages to Rescue Her.

From the New Era, Greensburg, Ind.

The St. Paul correspondent for the *New Era* recently had an item regarding the case of Mabel Stevens, who had just recovered from a serious illness of rheumatism and nervous trouble, and was able to be out for the first time in three months. The letter stated that it was a very bad case and her recovery was considered such a surprise to the neighbors that it created considerable gossip.

Being anxious to learn the absolute facts in the case, a special reporter was sent to have a talk with the girl and her parents. They were not at home, however, being some distance away. A message was sent to Mr. Stevens, asking him to write up a full history of the case, and a few days ago the following letter was received from Mrs. Stevens:

"ST. PAUL, IND., Jan. 20, 1897.

Editors *New Era*, Greensburg, Ind.

"DEAR SIRS: Your kind letter received and I am glad to have the opportunity to tell you about the sickness and recovery of Mabel. We don't want any newspaper notoriety, but in a case like this where a few words of what I have to say may mean recovery for some child, I feel it my duty to tell you of her case.

"Two years ago this winter Mabel began complaining of pains in her limbs, principally in her lower limbs. She was going to school, and had to walk about three quarters of a mile each day, going through all kinds of weather. She was thirteen years old and doing so well in her studies that I disliked to take her from school but we had to do it.

"For several months she was confined to the house, and she grew pale and dwindled down to almost nothing. Her legs and arms were drawn up and her appearance was pitiful. Several doctors had attended her, but it seemed that none of them did her any good. They advised us to take her to the springs, but times were so hard we could not afford it, although we finally managed to get her to the Martinsville baths. Here she grew suddenly weaker, and it seemed that she could not stand it, but she became better, and it seemed that she was being benefited, but she suddenly grew worse, and we had to bring her home.

"She lingered along, and last winter became worse again, and was afflicted with a nervous trouble almost like the St. Vitus' dance. For some time we thought she would die, and the physicians gave her up. When she was at her worst a neighbor came in with a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and wanted us to try them as they were advertised to be good for such cases, and her daughter had used them for nervousness with such good results that she thought they might help Mabel.

"We tried them. The first box helped her some, and after she had taken three boxes she was able to sit up in bed. When she had finished a half dozen boxes she was able to be out and about. She has taken about nine boxes altogether now, and she is as well as ever, and going to school every day, having started in again three weeks ago. Her cure was undoubtedly due to these pills."

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Turpentine and Mice.

Driving away mice from infected cellars is an easy matter when oil of turpentine is used. It seems that the little rodents have a very pronounced antipathy for the odor and some woolen rags soaked in oil of turpentine and placed in front of the holes by which mice enter will keep them away. If this experiment is repeated for several weeks it will eventually keep the mice away entirely.

Europe's Largest Galleries.

The ten largest fine art galleries in Europe are: Gallery of Versailles, with 3000, Royal Gallery of Dresden, 2200; Muiso, of the Grado, Madrid, 1833; Gallery of the Louvre, Paris, 1800; Imperial Hemitage, St. Petersburg, 1631; Belvedere Gallery, Vienna, 1550; The Pinasothek, Munich, 1422; the Old Museum, Berlin, 1250; Uffizi Gallery Florence, 1200; National Gallery, London, 902.

Several species of moths never eat after attaining a perfect state. They have no mouths and live but a few hours.

Electric Vegetables.

In India grows the electric plant, Philotacea electrica. If a leaf of this plant is broken off the hand that immediately receives an electric equal to that produced by an ind coil. At a distance of six yard netic needle is affected, and deranged if brought close to ence varies with the time of powerful about 2 o'clock in noon, it is absolutely gone hours of the night, and dur the plant loses its influence. is felt in breaking the leaves times, and the needle is Birds or insects never alight electric plant, their instinct them of their danger. Where it grows none of the metals are found—neither balt nor nickel—thus provin electrical force belongs exclu the plant.

Paper Piping.

The experiments being con Italy with pipes made of pap tracting universal attention. terial used is cellulose pa in asphalt. The pipes are impermeable, capable of heavy pressure, not subject to dinary deterioration and not by the action of electric curre the continued use shall com expectations warranted by the cal tests, it is probable that the ground pipe making industry revolutionized, providing the manufacture does not fo No thoroughly effective rust and wear, caused by gro trie wires, has been discovered indeed this may prove the relief from these evils will be embraced, even if a radical construction and materia ing is necessary.

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I have now taken several bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and used three packages of Sanative Wash, and can say I am perfectly cured. I do not think I could have lived long if Mrs. Pinkham's medicine had not helped me.—MRS. JOSEPH PETERSON, 513 East St., Warren, Pa.

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